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April 18, 2018 DIVISION OF WATER OUALITY UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PUBLIC NOTICE OF VARIANCE TO TBPEL IMPLEMENTATION DATE

PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE

The purpose of this public notice is to declare the State of Utah's intention to grant a variance to the implementation deadline for Technology Based Phosphorus Effluent Limit (TBPEL) compliance to Salt Lake City Wastewater Treatment Facility. Pursuant to UAC R317-1-3.3 and corresponding provisions of the Utah Water Ouality Act.

PERMIT INFORMATION

PERMITTEE NAME: Salt Lake City Water Reclamation Facility 1530 S West Temple, Salt Lake City, UT 84114 MAILING ADDRESS:

TELEPHONE NUMBER: (801) 483-6670

FACILITY LOCATION: 1365 West 2300 North, Salt Lake City, UT 84116

UPDES PERMIT NO.: UT0021725 Jordan River **RECEIVING WATERS:**

BACKGROUND

The Salt Lake City Water Reclamation Facility (SLC) serves the greater Salt Lake City area, including the University of Utah. SLC submitted a variance request, dated November 6, 2017 to the Utah Division of Water Quality "DWQ", seeking a variance to the TBPEL implementation date. The Variance Request is based on the fact that SLC is in the process of designing and constructing improvements to the Facility to meet TBPEL requirements, however, such improvements cannot be completed prior to January 1, 2020, despite SLC's diligence.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comments are invited any time prior to the deadline of the close of business on May 18, 2018. Written public comments can be submitted to: Jeff Studenka, UPDES Surface Water Section, Utah Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: jstudenka@utah.gov. After considering public comment the Utah Division of Water Quality may execute the variance, revise it or abandon it. The variance is available for public review under https://deq.utah.gov/public-notices/water-quality-public-notices. If internet access is not available, a copy may be obtained by calling Jeff Studenka at 801-536-4395.

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